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Docket No.: 247079-00208USPT  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Allon G. Engلمان *et al.*

Application No.: 10/612,806

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Art Unit: 3714

For: GAMING MACHINE HAVING MULTIPLE  
LEVEL PROGRESSIVE FEATURE WITH  
PLAYER CONTROLLED OUTCOME

Examiner: Ryan Hsu

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 AND 1.98**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered, and the references listed on enclosed Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), any necessary copies are enclosed. However, in accordance with the October 12, 2004 Official Gazette Notice, copies of U.S. patents and U.S. published application references are no longer required and, thus, are not enclosed.

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(g), (h), this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information disclosed is, or is considered to be, "prior art" with respect to the present application or material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

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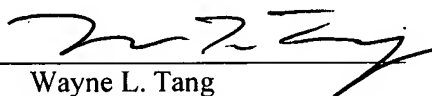
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This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed after the mailing of the first Office Action reflecting an examination on the merits, but before the mailing of the Final Office Action or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), a fee of \$180.00 is included herewith.

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Respectfully submitted,

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